

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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In the matter of:
Amendment of Part 97 of the
Commission's Rules Governing
Amateur Radio Services
Regarding Repeater and
Auxiliary Operation in the
1.25 Meter Band

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RM-7869

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To: The Commission

PETITION AGAINST RULE MAKING

I, Sandra Heyn, WA6WZN, hereby respectfully submit my request to the Federal Communications Commission to **NOT** take action on this petition for Rule Making, RM-7869, as submitted by the American Radio Relay League.

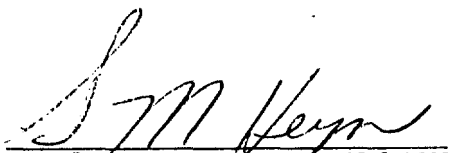
As an active Amateur Radio Operator on the 1.25 Meter Band, I have watched our band grow from a few Amateurs to the now extremely dense population of repeaters and other user interests. Recently, you diminished our band by 40% due to the recent proceeding, NPRM 87-14.

This new request by the American Radio Relay League, (ARRL), asks us to take yet another cut into this Amateur spectrum that is still attempting to relocate those who were displaced in NPRM 87-14. If you accept this petition for rule making, another

seventeen repeaters in the Southern California area will be displaced. A survey of all members of the 1.25 Meter community in Southern California were ask where their operating interests were and less than 1% indicate weak signal, SSB, and other experimental operations. Again, you just took away 40% of our band, and now may ask that we continue to erode it away by special interest groups who pressured the ARRL into making this ludicrous petition opposing Amateurs against Amateurs. I can assure you the ARRL does NOT have my interest in mind, and the majority of users will let you know in this comment period.

For the above mentioned comments, I respectfully request the Commission abandon the proposed allocation of weak signal operation exclusively to 222.000 to 222.150 segment of the 1.25 meter band. I ask that the matter be deferred back to the ARRL for resolution with the local area coordination councils.

Respectfully Submitted,
December 17, 1991


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